

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Re Appln: David L. Anderson et al.  
Serial No. 10/680,452  
Filed: October 7, 2003  
For: CARTON STACKING APPARATUS AND METHOD  
Attorney: Nelson R. Capes  
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Group Art Unit: 3652  
Examiner: Gregory W. Adams  
Additional Fees: Charge to Deposit Account No. 02-3732



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Dear Sir/Madam:

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Enclosed for filing please find the following:

1. Reply to Final Rejection (37 CFR 1.113); and
2. Postcard receipt.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: 3-14-06

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Sir/Madam:

**REPLY TO FINAL REJECTION (37 CFR 1.113)**

This paper is being filed in response to the official action mailed January 27, 2006.  
Reconsideration of this application is respectfully requested.

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